(c) whether it is a fact that the situation at present has eased; and

(d) whether Government propose to allow the consumers to purchase a tin of 15 kgs. of vanaspati per month as was the practice earlier?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (RAO BIRENDRA SINGH): (a) and (b) Delhi Administration had imposed this restriction on 12th April, 1984 to check malpractices by wholesalers.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) The manufacturers of No. 1 vanaspati ghee have been allowed to sell one tin of 15kg. without entries in the Food Card.

Land Allotment in Village Kirari Sulaman Nagar, in Delhi

1067. SHRI V. GOPALSAMY:
DR. SHYAM SUNDAR MOHAPATRA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to a news item appearing in 'Nav Bharat Times' on 23rd June, 1985 regarding land allotment to landless in village Kirari Sulaman Nagar, in Mehrauli tehsil, Delhi:

(b) what is the number of landless families in this village;

(c) what was the criteria adopted for the allotment of land in this village in the past;

(d) whether the Delhi Administration has received any memorandum against land allotment in the village; and

(e) if so, when and what are the details of the memorandum and also the atcion taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDULAL CHANDRAKAR): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) Enquiries by the Revenue Authorities under the Delhi Administration showed that 24 persons were found to be landless as per the criteria adopted for allotment of land which is:

(1) beneficiary should not have more than one acre of land;

(2) he should be the resident of the village;

(3) the income of the family of the beneficiary should not exceed Rs. 750 per month;

(4) perference was to be given to persons belonging to Harijan community and those belonging to weaker section of the society.

(d) and (e) Representation dated the 4th July, 1985 was received from Delhi *Verg Chetna Samiti* alleging that out of 24 persons given allotment of surplus land, 8 persons belong to the family of the bhoomidhar whose land was declared surplus and six others were not fulfilling the prescribed criteria. The complainant submitted a list of 14 persons who according to him were deprived of the benefit. A detailed enquiry is being conducted on this complaint by the competent authority for appropriate acion.

अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय बाजारों में रासायनिक उर्वरकों की कीमतें

1068. **श्री जगदम्बी प्रसाद यादव** : क्या कृषि और ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय बाजारों में रासायनिक उर्वरकों की दरें क्या हैं, तथा इन दरों और भारत में किसानों से ली जा रही आर्थिक सहायतायुक्त दरों में कितना अन्तर है और दरों में यह अन्तर किस सीमा तक देश में इसके प्रति हेक्टेयर इस्तेमाल के अनुसार है तथा इस सम्बन्ध में स्थिति में सुधार लाने के लिये क्या कदम उठाये जा रहे हैं ;

(ख) निकट भविष्य में रासायनिक उर्वरकों की कमी को पूरा करने की क्या योजनाएं हैं; और